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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

HÖTTEN, ET AL.

Art Unit: 1647

Application Number: 09/386,450

Examiner: D. Romeo

Filed: August 31, 1999

Atty. Docket No. 100564-09022

For: NEW GROWTH DIFFERENTIATION FACTOR OF THE TGF-  $\beta$  FAMILY

**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.821(C)**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: August 28, 2002

Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.821(C), applicants are submitting herewith an amended Sequence Listing for the above-identified application both in paper copy form and in computer readable form. The "organisms" field <213> has been corrected for several sequences.

The name of the file on the computer readable form is 1005649022.APP.DOC. The paper copy and the computer readable form are the same.

In the event that this paper is not considered to be timely filed, applicants hereby petition for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for any such extension may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 01-2300, along with any other fees with respect to this paper.

Respectfully submitted,

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